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third quarters the death rate of males showed a decrease of 0.6, and that of females a decrease of 0.8, per 1,000 living. Out of equal numbers living, the deaths of males were to those of females as 118 is to 100, the proportion in the third quarters of the ten preceding years having been 117 to 100.

MORTALITY FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

The 133,511 deaths from all causes include 23,235 that were attributed to diarrhea, 2,373 to measles, 2,140 to whooping cough, 1,217 to diphtheria, 851 to fever, 767 to scarlet fever, and 134 to smallpox.

JAMAICA—*Parish of Portland.*—Four weeks ended November 5, 12, 19, and 26, 1904. Estimated population, 40,000. Total number of deaths, 10, 9, 8, and 10, respectively. No deaths from contagious diseases reported.

JAVA—*Batavia.*—Two weeks ended October 22, 1904. Estimated population, 160,000. Total number of deaths not reported. No deaths from contagious diseases reported.

SPAIN—*Barcelona.*—Ten days ended November 20, 1904. Estimated population, 600,000. Total number of deaths, 315, including diphtheria 1, enteric fever 14, measles 1, whooping cough 3, smallpox 9, and 28 from tuberculosis.

URUGUAY—*Montevideo.*—Month of September, 1904. Estimated population, 284,901. Total number of deaths, 360, including diphtheria 6, enteric fever 10, scarlet fever 8, whooping cough 1, and 53 from tuberculosis.

Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox, June 25 to December 16, 1904.

[Reports received by the Surgeon-General Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service from United States consuls through the Department of State and from other sources.]

[For reports received from December 26, 1903, to June 24, 1904, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for June 24, 1904.]

[NOTE.—In accordance with custom, the tables of epidemic diseases are terminated semiannually and new tables begun.]

CHOLERA.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Borneo:				
Kudat	Aug. 19			Present.
China:				
Antung	July 15			Do.
Hanoi	June 17		4	
Hongkong	May 15-July 23	35	32	Two cases on ss. Ping Shan, from Saigon.
Saigon	June 17			Present.
Shanghai	July 24-30	1		
Egypt:				
Suez	Nov. 4			Two cases from Br. ss. Coulsdon from Java.
Formosa:				
Tamsui	June 1-30	1	1	
France:				
Paris	July 24-30	1	1	

Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox, etc.—Continued.

CHOLERA—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
India:				
Bombay	June 8–Nov. 15		199	
Calcutta	May 22–Nov. 5		235	
Madras	May 28–Sept. 30		5	
Persia:				
Astrabad	Aug. 1–10			Many deaths.
Chiras	Aug. 31			Present.
Hamadan	June 25			Do.
Kermanschah	Aug. 10–Oct. 13		43	
Koom	June 25			130 cases daily.
Resht	Aug. 2–5		30	
Sultanabad	July 16			Present.
Tabriz	Sept. 27–Oct. 2		209	
Teheran	June 25–July 9			300 deaths daily.
Zenjan	Sept. 17			Present.
Russian Empire:				
Astrakhan Province—				
Localities not named	To Nov. 3	32	23	
Zarew	Sept. 27–Oct. 9	12	5	
Saratov Province—				
Saratov	Sept. 27–Oct. 17	28	14	
Trans-Caspian territory and Central Asia—				
Askabad	Aug. 19	1	1	
Bairam Ali	Aug. 14–17	8	4	
Hansankuli	Aug. 28–Sept. 11		35	
Kaakhka	August 12–19	12	5	
Kisil-Arwat	Oct. 17–24	1		
Merv	Aug. 18–Oct. 24	50	26	
New Bokhara	Aug. 16	1	1	
Serachs	Oct. 17–Nov. 7	5		
Tejend	Aug. 12	1	1	
Trans-Caucasia—				
Baku	Sept. 11–Nov. 8	322	185	
Erivan	Nov. 4–8	132		
Tiflis	To Nov. 7	1		On railway train from Erivan.
Provinces not named—				
Balachany district	Nov. 1–8	5	3	
Nachitschrwan district	Oct. 15–Nov. 7	39	23	
Scharuro-Daralages district	To Nov. 7	93	38	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore	May 8–June 18		2	
Turkey:				
Amara	June 19–Oct. 8	119	93	
Bagdad	June 6–Oct. 15	1,213	864	
Bahrein Islands	May 1–31		1,500	
Bakouba	June 19–July 7	7	5	
Basra	June 6–28	18	14	
Bedreh	July 23–Aug. 20		26	
Chosrabad	June 19–Oct. 1	9	10	
Dindich	Aug. 13–20	1	1	
Ditz	Aug. 13–20	61	28	
Dindieh	Sept. 10–Oct. 1	11	8	
Divanieh	June 19–Sept. 3		93	
Djemaat	June 22–28		293	
Hilla	June 22–July 7	144	198	
Khanakin	July 23–Oct. 15	31	18	
Kazemein	July 23–Oct. 8		172	
Kerbella	June 22–Aug. 6	168	412	
Kiazmieh	June 6–Sept. 10	52	63	
Kindieh	June 19–Oct. 15	5	3	
Koufa	June 19–July 7	19	12	
Kout	Aug. 13–20	5	3	
Maskat	June 28–July 12		3	
Mendeli	July 23–Oct. 15	333	177	
Messeieb	June 19–Sept. 10	6	4	
Muttra	June 28–July 12			Present.
Nedjeff	June 6–July 7	310	201	
Oman	June 28–July 12			Do.
Razemein	July 7	1	1	
Sada	June 6–13	17	11	
Salahieh	June 6–July 7	14	10	
Samara	June 19–Oct. 12	88	36	
Schatrah	June 6–13	27	23	
Serbatieh	Sept. 3–Oct. 1	24	15	
Shahraban	Aug. 13–Sept. 3	45	21	
Solimanieh	July 23–Sept. 10		1,071	
Tikrit	Aug. 13–20	3	1	

Cholera, yellow fever, and smallpox, etc.—Continued.

YELLOW FEVER.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Brazil:				
Para	Jan. 1–Oct. 20	.....	94	
Pernambuco	July 1–Oct. 31	2	2	
Rio de Janeiro	May 9–Nov. 6	63	18	
Colombia:				
Barranquilla	June 23–29	.....	1	
Buenaventura	July 20–27	.....	.....	Present.
Costa Rica:				
Limon	July 3–Oct. 15	4	1	One case from Sequires.
Cuba:				
Habana	Sept. 19–Nov. 2	3	1	One from ss. Vigilancia, from Mexican ports. One from Am. ss. Habana from Mexico, and one case, one death from Sp. ss. Buenos Aires from Vera Cruz.
Santiago (Punta de Sal)	Oct. 24–Nov. 26	3	.....	
Ecuador:				
Bahia de Caraquez	July 6	1	1	Per ss. Ecuador, from Tumaco.
Guayaquil	May 26–Oct. 26	.....	63	One death at sea on the yacht Cavalier.
Mexico:				
Nuevo Leon—				
Lampazos	Oct. 1–Jan. 1, 1904	.....	5	
Oaxaca—				
Tehuantepec	June 19–Oct. 22	47	22	
Tamaulipas—				
Tampico	June 12–18	1	.....	
Yucatan—				
Merida, Progreso	June 12–Nov. 19	48	12	
Veracruz—				
Coatzacoalcos, Texistepec, Veracruz.	June 18–Nov. 26	204	64	One on ss. Habana, from Progreso; one on American ss. Vigilancia, from Merida and Progreso at Vera Cruz.
Panama:				
Colon	Nov. 7–20	2	.....	
Panama	June 10–Oct. 12	4	3	
Peru:				
Callao	June 8	2	.....	Two cases from ss. Guatemala, from Panama and Valparaiso.
Rio Chiclayo	May 19	2	.....	
Venezuela:				
La Guaira	Sept. 26–Nov. 12	.....	.....	Present.
Maracaibo	July 18–24	1	1	
West Indies:				
Curaçao	July 30–Aug. 5	1	1	

PLAGUE.

Africa:				
British South Africa—				
Cape Colony—				
Port Elizabeth	May 13–Oct. 19	16	2	
Durban—				
Durban	Oct. 1–7	1	.....	
Transvaal—				
Johannesburg	To July 3	148	96	
German East Africa—				
Tringa and Old Tringa.	Jan. 1–Mar. 1	47	41	
Portuguese East Africa—				
Lourenço Marques	July 18–23	1	1	From the Transvaal.
Mozambique—				
Magude	Sept. 27	2	.....	
Argentina:				
Salta State	Nov. 2–9	26	15	
Australia:				
New South Wales—				
Sydney	May 17–Sept. 26	7	5	
Queensland—				
Brisbane	May 3–Sept. 24	19	6	
Maryborough	June 5–11	2	1	
Western Australia—				
Fremantle	Aug. 26	1	.....	
Perth	June 26–Sept. 24	11	4	

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PLAGUE—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Brazil:				
Bahia	July 7–Nov. 12	171	101	
Nictheroy	Oct. 11–Nov. 3	4		
Pernambuco	Aug. 1–Oct. 31		4	
Rio de Janeiro	May 30–Nov. 6	334	162	
Chile:				
Antofagasta	May 19–June 6	22	12	May 1–31, 52 deaths.
Arica	Sept. 3–Oct. 12	9		
Iquique	October 1–15			Present.
Valparaiso	June 2	4		
China:				
Amoy	June 27–July 30		50	Estimated.
Canton	May 28–June 2			Epidemic.
Fatshan	June 2			Do.
Fa Ti	June 2			Present.
Foochow	May 1–31			Several hundred cases. (Report contradicted.)
	Aug. 8			Epidemic.
Honam	May 28–June 2			Do.
Hongkong	May 15–Sept. 17	291	283	Four cases on unknown steamships from Amoy, Shek Loong, and Antung; 2 cases on steamships Glenogle and Restorer from Singapore.
Ko Tong	June 2			Epidemic.
Sai Nam	June 2			Do.
Wusung	May 29–June 4	1		On ss. Australien from Kobe and other ports.
Egypt:				
Achmun district	Nov. 5–12	1	1	
Alexandria	May 22–Oct. 28	65	38	
Baliana district	May 22–28	2		
Beni-Suef	June 11–July 30	20	12	
Bibeh district	May 22–July 30	28	15	
Damietta	Oct. 17–18	1	1	
Dechneh district	May 22–June 4	5	7	
Magagha district	May 22–28	1		
Minieh district	July 31–Aug. 6	1	1	
Nag-Hamadi	June 11–July 2	13	7	
Port Said	May 22–Oct. 19	7	4	
Samallut district	May 22–July 23	18	6	
Tatah district	May 22–28	1	1	
Tukh district	Sept. 3–Nov. 12	11	5	
Zagazig	May 29–Aug. 6	74	12	
Formosa:				
Ensuiko	May 15–July 30	242	177	
Hozan	June 19–July 16	5	3	
Kagi	May 15–July 2	152	135	
Kelung	May 15–Aug. 13		10	
Pescadores	May 15–28	1		
Shinko	May 15–June 18	6	6	
Taihoku	May 15–Sept. 10	122	106	
Tainan	May 15–Aug. 27	859	819	
Toroku	May 15–June 25	58	28	
Toshien	July 3–Aug. 13	2	2	
Great Britain:				
Southshields	Sept. 19	1		On ss. Bishopsgate from Rosario.
Hawaii:				
Hilo	July 21–Aug. 19	1	2	
Honolulu	June 21–Dec. 10	5	5	One death on ss. Coptic on Aug. 22.
India:				
Bombay Presidency and Sind.	May 8–Oct. 22	121,153	88,369	
Madras Presidency	May 8–Oct. 22	9,395	7,293	
Bengal	May 8–Oct. 22	6,462	5,465	
United Provinces	May 8–Oct. 22	14,256	11,673	
Punjab	May 8–Oct. 22	89,383	76,654	
Central provinces (including Berar).	May 8–Oct. 22	5,603	4,397	
Mysore State	May 8–Oct. 22	17,164	12,035	
Coorg	Aug. 13–Oct. 22	22	17	
Hyderabad State	May 8–Oct. 22	6,402	5,240	
Central India	May 8–Oct. 22	11,784	10,143	
Rajputana	May 8–Oct. 22	6,366	4,489	
Kashmir	May 8–Oct. 22	975	570	
Grand total		288,965	226,345	

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PLAGUE—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Japan:				
Kobe	May 31	1		On ss. Korea from Hongkong via Amoy, Shanghai, and Nagasaki.
Moji	Nov. 3-5	3	3	From British ss. Sealda from Rangoon and Yokohama via Singapore and Hongkong.
Mauritius	Apr. 8-Oct. 27	81	52	
Peru:				
Callao	May 27-Oct. 11	11	3	Number of cases since outbreak, 57. One case on Chilean ss. Aconcagua from Valparaiso and Panama. Report subsequently denied.
Chiclayo	Aug. 14-Sept. 3	2	1	
Colán	To July 25	6		
Eten	Aug. 29-Oct. 5	41	21	
La Sullona	Aug. 17			Present.
Lima	May 22-Oct. 11	140	48	Number of cases from Oct., 1903, to Aug. 1, 1904, 320
Pacasmayo	Oct 1			Present.
Payta	May 25-Sept. 3	123	55	
Piura	Aug. 15	2		
Salaverry	Aug. 16-Sept. 3	32	19	
San Pedro	Aug. 14-Sept. 3	3	3	
Sechura	Aug. 17			Do.
Trujillo	To Aug. 26			Do.
Philippine Islands:				
Cebu	May 25		1	
Manila	May 7-Sept. 10	16	15	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore	Sept. 11-Oct. 8		7	
Turkey:				
Aden	Nov. 26			Do.
Lingah	Apr. 27-June 3		125	
Smyrna	Sept. 8-Oct. 15	6	3	

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Africa:				
Cape Colony (Cape Town)	July 9-16	1		
Argentina:				
Buenos Ayres	Apr. 1-Sept. 30		262	
Austria-Hungary:				
Prague	June 12-Nov. 12	95		
Vienna	July 10-16		1	
Belgium:				
Antwerp	May 29-Sept. 3	3		
Brussels	June 5-Nov. 19		5	
Borneo:				
Brunei	Aug. 8			Reported epidemic.
Brazil:				
Bahia	July 1-Nov. 12	153	11	
Nictheroy	Nov. 1-7	45		
Para	Oct. 1-Nov. 12	33	5	
Pernambuco	May 8-Oct. 31		309	
Rio de Janeiro	May 9-Nov. 6	5,831	2,509	
Santos	Nov. 1-7			Epidemic; 2 cases on the ss. Planeta.
Canada:				
Belleville	Aug. 30-Sept. 12	7		
Manitoba, Winnipeg	July 24-Aug. 20	1	1	
Chile:				
Santiago	To May 19	500		
China:				
Chefoo	Oct. 8-15	1		
Hongkong	May 15-Sept. 17	16	4	Two cases imported from Shanghai via ss. Chi Yuen; 1 case imported from Saigon per s. s. Shooh Sing.
Shanghai	May 15-Nov. 5		66	
Tientsin	May 15-21			Epidemic.
Colombia:				
Barranquilla	July 18-24		1	
Santa Marta	Aug. 22-Sept. 3	15	1	

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SMALLPOX—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Cuba:				
Habana	June 19-25		1	
Sagua la Grande	Nov. 13-19	1		
Ecuador:				
Guayaquil	Nov. 10			Present.
Porto Viejo	Oct. 7			Do.
Formosa:				
Tamsui	Apr. 1-June 30	6		
France:				
Lyon	May 16-Nov. 19	21	4	
Marseille	May 1-July 31		8	
Paris	June 4-Nov. 19	256	26	
Rouen	July 1-31		2	
Germany:				
Berlin	July 16	3		
Great Britain and Ireland:				
Birmingham	June 19-July 9	2		
Bradford	June 5-Nov. 19	43	2	
Bristol	June 5-Nov. 19	26		
Cardiff	May 29-June 11	3		
Dewsbury and vicinity	Oct. 1-31	137		
Dublin	Aug. 12-27	4		
Dundee	Oct. 30-Nov. 19	2		
Edinburgh	June 5-Oct. 8	9	5	
Glasgow	June 11-Nov. 25	136	13	
Leeds	June 12-Nov. 26	28	1	
Liverpool	June 12-Aug. 13	10		
London	June 4-Nov. 26	98	6	
Manchester	June 6-Nov. 19	64	4	
Newcastle on Tyne	June 4-Nov. 19	158	8	
Nottingham	June 5-Nov. 5	58	1	
Sheffield	May 29-July 23	6		
South Shields	June 12-Nov. 19	4		
West Hartlepool	Aug. 21-Sept. 3	4		
India:				
Bombay	May 25-Nov. 15		138	
Calcutta	June 5-Oct. 8		8	
Karachi	May 30-Aug. 11	9	5	
Madras	Oct. 29-Nov. 4		1	
Italy:				
Arezzo Province	Oct. 28-Nov. 3			Do.
Ascoli Province	Nov. 4-10			Do.
Benevento Province	Oct. 14-20			Do.
Caltanisetta Province	Oct. 14-Nov. 19			Do.
Catania Province	Sept. 23-Nov. 24		9	
Cosenza Province	Oct. 14-Nov. 19	5		
Genoa Province	Oct. 28-Nov. 26			Do.
Lecce Province	Oct. 14-Nov. 26	291		
Milan Province	Apr. 1-30	1		
Novara Province	Nov. 4-26			Do.
Padua Province	Oct. 14-20			Do.
Palermo Province	May 16-Nov. 19	218	67	
Perugia Province	Oct. 14-Nov. 19			Do.
Pesaro Province	Oct. 28-Nov. 19			Do
Potenza Province	Oct. 14-Nov. 26	12		
Rome Province	Oct. 28-Nov. 3			Do.
Treviso Province	Oct. 14-Nov. 26			Do.
Udine Province	Nov. 4-10			Do.
Japan:				
Kobe	June 12-25	2		
Nagasaki	May 20-July 31	17	14	
Yokohama	June 4-11	1		
Java:				
Batavia	May 8-28	4	3	
Manitoba:				
Winnipeg	Aug. 14-27	2		
Mexico:				
Mexico	June 6-Oct. 1	59	5	
Tampico	June 12-Oct. 22		3	
Netherlands:				
Amsterdam	June 5-11	1		
Rotterdam	July 10-Nov. 5	2		
Panama:				
Panama	June 13-19	1	1	
Peru:				
Arequipa	June 18			Do.
Callao	July 9			Do.
Lima	July 17-30			Do.
Payta	July 20			Do.

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SMALLPOX—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Philippine Islands:				
Luzon—				
Mariveles quarantine station.	Oct. 23-29	2		From a vessel in quarantine.
Manila	May 7-Sept. 24	34	11	
Marinduque Island	Oct. 23-29			Present.
Mindanao:				
Surigao	Oct. 23-29			Do.
Russia:				
Moscow	May 29-Nov. 12	185	62	
Odessa	May 29-Oct. 15	25	2	
St. Petersburg	May 29-Nov. 12	143	41	
Warsaw	May 8-Oct. 29		424	
South Africa:				
Capetown	Aug. 28-Sept. 24	5		
Spain:				
Barcelona	May 21-Nov. 20		150	
Cadiz	May 1-June 20		3	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore	May 8-14		1	
Turkey:				
Alexandretta	June 5-Oct. 29		21	One new case.
Beirut	July 24-Nov. 5			Present.
Constantinople	May 30-Nov. 20		250	
Smyrna	June 27-Aug. 14		4	
Venezuela:				
La Guaira	Sept. 26			Do.
West Indies:				
Barbados	Oct. 25	2		From British barkentine Ensenada from Rosario.

Weekly mortality table, foreign and insular cities.

Cities.	Week ended—	Estimated population.	Total deaths from all causes.	Deaths from— Tuberculosis.	Plague.	Cholera.	Yellow fever.	Smallpox.	Typhus fever.	Enteric fever.	Scarlet fever.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Whooping cough.
Acapulco	Nov. 26	6,000	5											
Amherstburg	Dec. 3	2,250	1											
Amsterdam	Nov. 19	550,150	171	28						1	1	1	10	5
Do	Nov. 26	550,150	129	23						1		1	10	4
Antwerp	Nov. 19	294,669	84						1				2	
Belfast	do	358,693	136							1	1	1	8	
Belize	Dec. 1	9,100	10											
Bergen	Nov. 16	80,000	17	7								1		
Berlin	Nov. 12	1,994,218	534	55							11	15	2	
Birmingham	Nov. 19	537,965	185							2	1	5	1	2
Do	Nov. 26	537,965	224							1	2	4	1	2
Bombay	Nov. 8	776,006	609	52	52			2		1				
Brussels	Nov. 19	575,896	162	17				1		1	1	2	3	
Budapest	do	804,200								5	8	3	8	
Calcutta	Nov. 5	847,796	418	24	9	11								
Cape Town	Oct. 29	190,000												
Cartagena	Nov. 13	30,000	11	1										
Do	Nov. 20	30,000	9	1										
Catania	Nov. 24	153,523	78	3				2		3		1		
Christiania	Nov. 19	224,000	42									2		
Coatzacoalcos	Nov. 26	3,000	10	1			2							
Cognac	Nov. 12	19,483	10	1										
Do	Nov. 19	19,483	1											
Colombo	Oct. 29	155,869	93							2				
Colon	Nov. 27	8,000	10											
Constantinople	Nov. 20	800,000	290					30		2		2	3	
Copenhagen	Nov. 12	500,000	101	15						1	1		1	
Corunna	Nov. 19	50,000	21	3								1		
Dublin	do	378,994		32						2		1	8	4
Dundee	do	163,535	55											2
Edinburgh	do	331,977	117								1	1		1